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1. Lt. Col. Kononov, chief of the Potsdam Ketch, has been transferred somewhere else in Germany. Replacing him is Lt. Col. Vasilii Fedorovich Kuchkin. Kuchkin arrived in Germany around mid-1950 and was the chief of Ketch at Rathenow before this assignment.

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2. All emigres have been fired from their jobs with Soviet installations and have been continually requesting the Soviets to release their blocked ruble accounts (partial payment of all salaries while employed with Soviets was made in rubles deposited to account in Moscow). For very needy cases, the Soviets have released a few hundred here and a few hundred there. Most of the emigres who have been in Germany since 1948 and 1949 have thousands of rubles in these blocked accounts.

3. The aide of the Soviet High Commissioner is Gregori Vasilyevich Zhilyakov, telephone number 21-51 (from civilian phone, prefixed by 508).
4. The Soviet Consul in East Berlin, Krasnenkov, has been on leave in Moscow for the past two months. His aide, Markeyevich, stated that Krasnenkov will now remain in Moscow in a new post with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. It is not known yet who the new Consul will be.
5. The Potsdam Bauburo now has a new chief named Warwas (fnu), replacing Feich (fnu), who has been transferred to Wittenberg.

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